



Announcing the 2007 City of Houston **Water Conservation T-Shirt Design Contest**



Attention 1st – 8th grade Educators

- This fun and engaging activity teaches students the importance of protecting their water resources – today and for the future
- Students write a water-related phrase to highlight their artwork
- Contest Deadline: *Thursday, March 15th* – so start drawing!
- Finalists are selected from each Houston City Council District
- One Grand Prize Winner is selected from the finalists and his/her artwork is reproduced on the 2007 festival t-shirts.
- All finalists and the Grand Prize winner receive awards from City officials during the Water Festival opening ceremony
- Make plans to attend the May 10th City of Houston Water Festival at the Downtown Aquarium (registration required)
- Bus transportation provided for the Grand Prize winner's class
- Contest guidelines are printed on the back of this page.

For more information, visit www.houstonwaterconservation.org

The City of Houston Water Festival and the T-Shirt Design Contest
are coordinated by City of Houston
Drinking Water Operations, Public Utilities Division,
Department of Public Works and Engineering.
Water Education Information Line - 713-837-0473



WATER CONSERVATION T-SHIRT DESIGN CONTEST GUIDELINES



Eligibility: 1st - 8th grade students living or attending school within the City of Houston water service area.

1. Students' original designs should emphasize the importance of conserving and/or protecting our water resources. Previously published designs or artwork and/or Images of copyrighted brands, trademarks or characters are ineligible.
2. Submit entries on 8 1/2 X 11-inch paper, poster board, or art board. Create a simple, colorful design and include a short phrase related to conserving or protecting our drinking water resources.
3. Please **PRINT** the names of the student, teacher and school on the back of the artwork. Students mailing artwork from home should inform their teacher that they have submitted an entry.
4. A finalist will be selected from each of the nine Houston City Council Districts. One Grand Prize Winner will be selected from the finalists, and the grand prize artwork will be printed on the 2007 Water Festival T-shirts.
5. **Entry Deadline:** Artwork must be delivered to the City of Houston Drinking Water Operations office by 5:00 p.m., Thursday, March 15, 2007.
6. Winners will be recognized at the City of Houston Drinking Water Festival, Thursday, May 10, 2007 at the Downtown Aquarium.

All entered designs become the property of the City of Houston Drinking Water Operations and may be used in educational materials throughout the Houston area, including the City's website.

By participating in the contest, students learn the importance of conserving, protecting and managing our water resources. For more information, please call 713-837-0473.

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